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ONE CENT

DISCUSS PLANS OF HELPING IN LIBERTY LOAN

Bankers of Washington
County Meet Friday to
Talk Over Situation

MUCH ENTHUSIASM IS SHOWN

Thirty-one bankers of Washington county met at the Washington County Club at noon Friday at the call of Kerfoot W. Daly, cashier of the Bank of Charleroi and chairman of the Liberty Loan committee of the Public Safety committee of Washington county, to discuss the best means of stimulating the purchase of the bonds for the prosecution of the present war with Germany. The attendance was regarded as unusually encouraging and larger than had been anticipated and was taken to indicate the patriotism that is felt by citizens generally at this time.

The aim of Mr. Daly and his associates on the Public Safety Committee was to get together on the Liberty Loan proposition, discuss the best ways and means of educating the people on the project stir up patriotism and put forth every effort to make the floating of the loan bonds a huge success in Washington county. T. J. Duncan, president of the Real Estate Trust company of Washington was named chairman of the meeting and Ben G. Binns, cashier of the First National bank of Donora, secretary.

The bankers had luncheon at noon and immediately afterward were addressed by the Rev. Samuel McAulay Lindsay, of Pittsburgh, a young Scotch Baptist clergyman and representative of the Federal Reserve Board on the Liberty Loan. His subject was "War and Patriotism" and his address was received with enthusiasm. Most of the afternoon was taken up in the discussion of the Liberty Loan bonds, most of those attending participating. Those present from Charleroi were Kerfoot W. Daly and J. J. Hott, bank of Charleroi and R. H. Rush, cashier of the First National bank.

ORDERS PLACED FOR MUCH NEW RAILROAD EQUIPMENT

Orders have been placed on behalf of the Pennsylvania Railroad lines east of Pittsburgh for the construction of 275 new locomotives, constituting the 1918 locomotive program. Of this number, 169 are for replacements and 106 will be additions to the motive power equipment of the lines east. The total estimated cost of the new locomotives is in excess of \$14,200,000. For replacements there will be constructed 19 shifters, 51 heavy passenger and 99 heavy freight locomotives. The engines built as additions to equipment will include 23 shifters, 30 heavy passenger locomotives and 30 heavy freight engines of the type now in general use on the Pennsylvania Railroad, known as "L-1-S." There will also be included in the additions to motive power 23 freight engines of the new and still more powerful "L-1-S" type, designed and constructed at the Altoona Shops especially for handling the heaviest freight trains. Of the entire 275 new locomotives, 245 will

COMPANY C OF ENGINEERS IS ORDERED INTO CAMP

Charleroi Men Included in Unit Called to Oakmont—Others From Charleroi Enlist in Corps

Company C of the Fifth Regiment, Reserve Engineers, has been ordered to report at Camp Oakmont by 11 o'clock Monday morning. Company A reported the middle of the week and Company B Friday. Among those who are called into service with Company C are Jesse C. Richey, Harvey J. Adams and Harry Hudspeth, all from Charleroi.

In the enlistments at the Pittsburgh station Friday were included the following:

Engineers' Reserve corps—Palmer R. Ashton, Leo A. Gillett, Ellis W. Hilton, Charleroi; Robert W. Jones, Allenport

SETTLE DISPUTE; PAY RED CROSS

Croatian Prosecutor in Assault Case Turns Over
\$25 to Local Chapter

ASSAILANTS ARE SATISFIED

In a novel and unexpected way the Charleroi Red Cross chapter today received a contribution of \$25, that is among the first and the largest. By the provisions of the donation, the money must be applied to the uses of the American Red Cross and none other.

It all came about by reason of an assault made upon Frank Grahich, a husky specimen of Croatian humanity from Monessen. Frank came to Charleroi this week to interview Attorney D. M. McCloskey relative to bringing suit against Frank Belan, Fred Belan and Frank Gaspich of Monessen, Croats whom he accused of giving him a severe beating. Marks on his face showed unmistakable signs of the attack. Information was entered by Grahich, upon advice of Attorney McCloskey, before Justice of the Peace J. A. Watkins of Monessen and the case was set for trial Friday afternoon. In the meantime John Blasich, a Charleroi Croatian and a friend of both sides endeavored to interest Attorney McCloskey in the case for the side of the defendant. He was advised to institute peace proceedings.

When the case approached trial Blasich asked if settlement might not be effected by the defendants paying \$25 to Grahich, the prosecutor. Grahich's reply was characteristic. He stoutly declared he did not want the money, but if they would give the \$25 to the "American Red Cross" and pay the costs he would call it square. While Justice Watkins and others were gasping for breath the money was paid over and placed in Attorney McCloskey's hands by his client to bring to Charleroi for the Red Cross chapter. Grahich emphasized that it must be for the American Red Cross and no other.

be constructed at the Altoona Shops and 30 at the Baldwin Locomotive Works, Philadelphia.

IMMENSE CROWDS HERE TO ENJOY BIG CIRCUS

Throngs Arrive Early and Witness Barnum and Bailey at Work Unloading and Unpacking—Parade is Notable Feature of Midday



Early morning scene packing for today's big circus.

The biggest show on earth—and this time the statement is made with that sort of authenticity which bears no dispute—is here today exhibiting on the athletic ground, with two performances. This is the Barnum and Bailey circus. Arriving early from Greensburg, where large crowds were entertained Friday, the show people set about their duties of erecting tents and putting affairs in ship-shape for a big day, for everybody knows that a Saturday and show day combined in Charleroi is a big day.

Aside from the fun of watching the circus unload, unpack and set up, there was nothing of especial interest to be found until the time of the parade about noon. Then as the circus press man put it, the sidewalks were converted into galleries for all the population from the surrounding territory to view the gorgeous cavalcade. Everything in the street parade was worthy the reputation of the organization it heralds. The horses—there seemed myriads of them—appeared sleek and well fed, the wagons presented a clean appearance, the parade people were beautifully costumed.

There were seven bands in the long line of march which covered the greater part of the downtown streets. All nations were represented by sumptuous floats. New and novel features made the parade a different sort and better attraction from what it was even two years ago when Barnum and Bailey played here.

The weather is fair, if a little cool for comfort, but this afternoon tents are crowded. People are here from many outlying districts, anxious to be with the crowds and see the wonders.

This year Barnum and Bailey are opening their big tent show with a new pageant, "Aladdin and his wonderful lamp," arranged to represent a beautiful fairy legend. The show in itself is larger and more splendid than ever. It carries a fine lot of circus artists, to say nothing of the 50 clowns and immense menagerie. The show travels in 89 double-length railroad cars.

From Charleroi Barnum and Bailey will take their big shows to Pittsburgh where they will exhibit three days in different locations.

Human Flag Stand Torn Down
Work of tearing down the stand used last Saturday for the human flag

at the foot of Fifth street was completed Friday afternoon. Most of the lumber was saved by the Charleroi Lumber company for use elsewhere.

COYLE THEATRE MONDAY
"YOUTH'S ENDEARING CHARM," Mary Miles Minter and 15th Episode of "GREAT SECRET" with Francis Bushman and Beverly Rayne

TUESDAY
"THE COST OF HATRED," Paramount, with Kathlyn Williams and Theodora Roberts
COMING FRIDAY
Anita Stewart in "THE GIRL PHILIPPA"

SIX SONS IN ONE FAMILY ALL ELIGIBLE; TWO ENLIST

Not an Equal to the Record of Family of Councilman and Mrs. Joseph Edwards of California

The family of Councilman and Mrs. Joseph Edwards of Second street, California has a record which is not equaled in this section, and perhaps not in another section of the state. Mr. and Mrs. Edwards, who are the parents of twelve children, nine sons and three daughters, have six sons eligible to service in the war, one of whom, Emery, aged 21, has already enlisted and is at Fort Washington, Maryland. The sons eligible to military service and their ages follow: John, aged 30; Harry, aged 28; Joseph, aged 26; George, aged 27; William, aged 27; Emery, aged 21. William Edwards will go to Pittsburgh Monday where he expects to enlist if successful in passing the examination.

REGISTRARS FOR COUNTY CHOSEN

Men Named to Look After
Registration Under
Conscription Law

CHOOSE TWO TO A PRECINCT

The registration board, composed of Sheriff E. B. Wickerham, County Commissioner, J. O. Watson and Dr. E. M. Hazlett, with J. Add Hall as clerk, completed Friday the list of registrars for the conscription registration on June 5. The following are those selected in nearby points:

Allen—First precinct, Robert Jones, David Barnum; second, J. A. Rankin, Marcellus Regg.
Beallsville—Jesse P. Miller, Don P. Hawkins.
Bentleyville—J. W. Huffman, W. F. Richardson.
California—J. Olan Yarnall, James R. Hill.
Carroll—First, A. T. Craven, John D. Wickerham; second, James C. Cowan, Frank Wray.
Charleroi—First precinct, Walter Urban, William Gaut; second, Paul R. Nutt, Theo. Allen; third, John Hudspeth, C. S. VanVoorhis; fourth, J. G. Albright, John Campbell; fifth, Guy Moffitt, E. N. Duty; sixth, J. K. Mitchell, H. J. Booth.
Coal Centre—Andrew Shafer, G. S. Hornbake, Sr.
Cokeburg—Thomas Watkins, Dr. H. J. Kirby.

Donora—First precinct, John K. Taylor, George A. Watkins; second, R. E. Koehler, W. S. Spragg; third, Gilbert Koedel, A. J. O'Donnell; fourth, F. G. Patterson, C. E. Morrison; fifth, Charles Weaver, Peter R. Harrison.
Dunlevy—Matthew Linn, Edward Cowell.
Elco—D. P. McKenna, E. J. Latta.
Ellsworth—H. B. Hart, J. W. Hugus.
Fallowfield—First J. V. Cooper, Dr. B. E. Gamble; second, George S. Heffran, Earl Beazell; third, Taylor Gust, W. W. Piper.
Long Branch—Walter W. Chalfant, A. W. Conaway.
Monongahela—First ward, first precinct, A. L. Dievert, John H. Staub; second precinct, M. S. Warne, Rudolph Simpson.
Radies—second ward, first, Henry B. Shephenson, John C. Barnett; second, Roberts.

COMMITTEE ON ENROLLMENT FOR RED CROSS WORK

Chairman Rush Names
Those Who Will Work up
Membership Here

MANY CHURCH PEOPLE CHOSEN

The enrollment committee for the Charleroi Red Cross Chapter of the American Red Cross society has been named by Chairman R. H. Rush of the executive and general committee. Officers of the organization are as follows:

Chairman, R. H. Rush; vice chairman, James T. Heffran, Speers; secretary, Mrs. William Kirk; treasurer, S. Walton Sharpnack; executive committee, C. J. Mogan, H. J. Booth, C. R. Peregrine, T. C. McKinley, Walter Byerly, Kerfoot W. Daly, Mrs. R. C. Mounter, Mrs. V. P. Stewart, Mrs. John W. Gordon.

The committee is selected from among industrial men and numerous church workers and is as follows:

Enrollment—H. J. Booth, chairman; C. W. Hall, Lee Showers, Elmer Small, W. S. James, Roland W. Brown, C. R. Buchanan, Rev. C. P. Bastian, Rev. C. A. Hartung, Rev. A. J. Whipple, Rev. John R. Burson, Rev. E. N. Duty, Rev. J. E. Charles, Ph. D., Rev. John Lyons, Rev. William D. Fries, Rev. W. G. Carl, Rev. Matthew Kebe, Rev. Frazier, William Smith, George W. Turner, Rev. John Body, Rev. Paul Ratkov, Rev. Dominic Ronco, Rev. John Olphovsky, Harry E. Price, Floyd Chalfant.

Mrs. H. J. Booth, Mrs. P. J. John, Mrs. C. R. Peregrine, Mrs. John Steinbaugh, Mrs. H. J. Repman, Mrs. W. R. Decker, Mrs. Earl E. Piper, Miss Marie Rockwell, Miss Grace Gelder, Mrs. H. P. Jacobs, Mrs. W. G. Carl, Miss Anna Sullivan, Mrs. William High, Mrs. A. W. Day, Mrs. Richard A. Roberts, J. D. Berryman, Mrs. Herman Heupel, Harry Goehring, Mrs. Jack Teitelbaum, Daniel Ferguson, J. G. Lee, Miss Traversky.
Burgess S. L. Woodward, Frank Klava, Miss Minnie Richardson, Miss Hazel Heffran, Miss Della Dunkerly, North Charleroi—Mrs. Athalia Daly McKean, Mrs. C. R. Buchanan.

LOCAL MAN WITH MACHINE GUN COMPANY NOW IN TEXAS CITY

Clarence Velletay, son of Mr. and Mrs. Louis Velletay of Prospect avenue, is now in training with the 26th U. S. Machine gun company at San Benito, Texas, with which he recently enlisted. Velletay is one of the first to enlist in a machine gun corps from Charleroi.

C. H. Landefeld, W. S. Shepler; third, James Crall, Earl Redon; third ward, first, Rev. W. F. McKee, William J. VanVoorhis; second, James H. Boyer, Joseph P. Kennedy.
North Charleroi—Harry Scott, John Heffran, Earl Beazell; third, Taylor Gust, W. W. Piper.
Roscoe—J. H. Underwood, Joe T. S. Speers—C. King Chalfant, James T. Stockdale—Joseph Underwood, Les Simpson.
Twilight—S. C. Hughes, J. Lester Shephenson, John C. Barnett; second, Roberts.

John E. Tener, Pres. S. A. Walton, Vice Pres. R. H. Rush, Cashier.
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roi, Pa., as Second Class Matter.

THE LIBERTY LOAN

For indeed are the men of action
In this life who can't be satisfied
To the Liberty loan which is
claiming the attention of patriotic
people the nation over. And it is
only known a Liberty loan subscrip-
tion is about the safest manner these
days of putting money out to interest
but.

Probably the Liberty loan idea is
pretty well understood by this time.
Ever so further explanation cannot
go amiss. Fifty dollars is the least
amount that can be subscribed. The
loan draws three and one-half per
cent interest, and—big point in its
favor—is non-taxable. The savings
bank may pay you four per cent in-
terest on your money, but your sav-
ings there are taxable. One is just
as convenient as the other. So far as
safety is concerned, with the Liberty
loan, you have the whole United
States behind it as a security, while
with the savings bank you have just
the stockholders. This is not to imply
that the savings bank is not safe, for
it is, but simply to show the strength
of security there is bound up behind
the Liberty loan. An investment in
the Liberty loan is worth while, and
bears sure return. Think of being
paid for a patriotic duty.

CANALS AS CITY MAKERS

New York is realizing the advan-
tage of its ship canal and other valu-
able waterways. This leads the Pitts-
burg Dispatch to the suggestion that
the Pittsburgh district might profit
with the proposed Pittsburgh and Lake
Erie Canal. The Dispatch says:

The New York barge canal from
near Albany to Buffalo, will be ready
for traffic in the fall. It has taken
nearly 15 years and \$135,000,000, or
about half the cost of the Panama
canal to complete it. "If will pro-
vide a waterway from Lake Erie to
Troy on the Hudson, 342 miles, 12
feet deep, 75 feet wide and with
locks to handle 2,000 ton barges. It
succeeds the old Erie Canal, which,
nearly a century ago, gave New York
supremacy over Philadelphia by at-
tracting the trade of the west. Now-
adays New York is looking for simi-
lar gains from the new barge canal
the Evening Post hoping "there is a
chance that it may shift the center of
the iron and steel industry. Since ore
may be brought from Michigan and
Minnesota by barge to any point be-
tween Buffalo and New York cheaper
than to Pittsburgh."

Philadelphia's experience in the ad-
vantage the old Erie Canal gave to
New York, as illustrating how canals
may be city builders should not be
lost on Pittsburgh. New York fig-
ures that the money spent on the
barge canal will be well worth while
as it can shift the iron and steel in-
dustry Empire-Stateward. While one
Eastern city mourns for lost sup-
remacy because of one canal and the
other hopes for gain from Pittsburgh
by a new one, what does Pittsburgh
think of its own need in the matter?
Is the Lake Erie and Ohio River Can-
al a mere project or is it not likely
to be a vital factor in preserving
Pittsburgh from the experience of Phil-
adelphia in competition with a city
which knows the value of water ap-
proached.

PICKED UP IN PASSING

The lecturer was most emphatic
upon the point "It is to the pioneers
of big movements—the men who are
at the forefront—that the
honor of this fair country of ours
belongs," he had said. At the close
of the lecture an old woman ap-
proached him and shook hands, thank-
ing him for speaking so kindly of re-
sion. "I think you have made a mis-
take. I don't know your son and I
cannot have mentioned his name to-
night," said the lecturer. "Yes, you
did. My son is one of those pioneers
of big movements." "Oh I see. And
what is your son, madam?" "What is
he?" the proud mother asked in a
surprised tone. "Mar, he walks in
front of the new steam roller with a
red flag."

A young New York man a member
of one of the first families as far as
wealth as concerned had been in the

has of writing poems, which unable
to dispose of, he managed to get
printed in certain publications by
paying therefor at advertising rates.
He attended a social gathering at
which a cynical old fellow named
Smith, who despised the would-be
poet, knowing of his manner of ob-
taining money, chanced to be pres-
ent. The young man lost no time
in referring to his "works"
and Smith, remarking, ostentatiously,
that he was born on the same day that
Washington Irving died. "Both of
us," he continued, "have had a very depressing
effect upon American literature."

ELECTRIC SPARKS

What is the Congressional Rec-
ord a newspaper.

Taxing advertising will be a man's
work.

What could a young man aged 55
do about a circus a year?

The mother who watches him go
cannot help but think of him as a
martyr, but he who goes thinks noth-
ing of that. And both are heroes.

Going out for a hot time here is
pregnant with the thought that you
are going in for a hot time hereafter.

When a man tells you he is positive
you have heard his name, listen while
he mentions it is Smith.

And just to think it was in cultur-
ed Boston where they boosted the
prices of onions.

Potatoes will have to come down a
long ways before they're in shooting
distance of the man of ordinary in-
come.

MANY CHARLEROI PROPERTY TRANSFERS ARE RECORDED

Following is a list of deeds for
Charleroi property recorded during
the latter part of this week in Wash-
ington.

May 16, 1917—Charles H. Davis et
al, North Charleroi to Malcolm Wil-
strom, North Charleroi, a lot front-
ing 50 feet on Conrad avenue, North
Charleroi and extending back 110
feet; consideration \$2,200.

May 14, 1917—Mary McGinty,
Charleroi to William B. McGinty,
Charleroi, a lot fronting 30 feet on
Webster avenue, Speers and extend-
ing back 100 feet; consideration \$1.

May 15, 1917—Ray J. Humbert et
al, Charleroi to Mary E. Powell,
Charleroi, a lot fronting 40 feet on
Shady avenue, Charleroi and extend-
ing back 90 feet; consideration \$1.

May 1, 1917—Mary E. Powell,
Charleroi to B. Blaine Fox, Elkin, a
lot fronting 40 feet on Meadow av-
enue, Charleroi and extending back 105
feet; consideration \$4,900.

April 17, 1917—Charles Devlin, et
al, Charleroi to Mrs. Margaret Dev-
lin, Charleroi, a lot fronting 22 feet
on McKean avenue, Charleroi and ex-
tending back 100 feet; consideration \$1.

May 10, 1917—David H. Fleming,
et al, Donora to Katherine Donehos,
California a lot fronting 40 feet on
Fifth street, Charleroi and extending
back 120 feet; consideration \$2,850.

May 18, 1917—Oscar Carson, et al,
Charleroi to John F. McKenna, Char-
leroi, a lot fronting 22 feet on Wash-
ington avenue, Charleroi and extend-
ing back 100 feet; consideration \$1.

April 26, 1917—Blanch P. Elliott
et al, Goodrich, Colo. to Wm. J.
Turnbull et al, Charleroi, a lot front-
ing 68.55 feet on Luella avenue, Char-
leroi, and extending back 193.3 feet;
consideration \$2,500.

BIG WEEK OF FUN PROMISED

BY MONESSEN ATHLETIC BOARD

The Monessen Board of Trade ath-
letic committee is "spring a big
spring festival and celebrating the
opening of Monessen's new
athletic and commercial Monday,
May 28 on the athletic grounds, can
assure amusement seekers of the
pleasure a week of real enjoyment.

The Pollock Brothers, owners of
the Ruthert rd Greater Shows, have
been careful of their reputation as
purveyors to the amusement public
in offering only worthy attractions of
real merit, always recognizing that
an unworthy show or feature would
detract from the whole and only cause
undesirable, reflective comment. So,
this season, in presenting the Ruth-
ert rd Greater Shows for approval,
they will offer many big feature at-
tractions.

READ THE MAIL FOR NEWS



Please do not throw away your old
clothes. Give us a call. We pay
good prices. H. Schaffer, Bell Phone
55-M, Fifth street and Fallowfield.
opposite Bank of Charleroi 286-16

Notice

Dr. E. Grever, the Philadelphia
specialist is now permanently locat-
ed on the second floor of the Majes-
tic Theatre building room 7 and 4,
Fallowfield avenue, Charleroi, Pa.
His specialties are all chronic ner-
vous diseases of men and women.
Fits, blood and skin diseases and
all private diseases. Advice free and
strictly confidential. See advertise-
ment in another column. Hours from
10 in the morning until 8:30 in the
evening. Sundays from 10 a. m. un-
til 4 o'clock p. m. 287-15

RESOLUTION OF THANKS AND OF APPRECIATION

The members of the First Baptist
church of Charleroi, Pa., desire to
express their hearty thanks and ap-
preciation to all who contributed in
any way to the building enterprise.

To the director, orchestra and mem-
bers of the chorus for their cora-
torio, "Elijah," to the singers and spea-
kers on the day of dedication, to all
who contributed money or articles for
the building and furnishings and to
all who assisted in any way, we are
sincerely grateful.

W. G. Carl, pastor.
D. C. Whitlatch, Clerk.

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WHEN EVERY MOVE HURTS

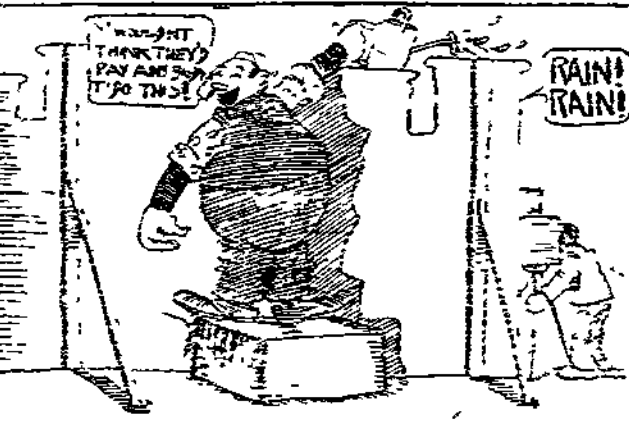
Lame every morning, achy and
stiff all day, worse when it's damp or
chilly? Suspect your kidneys and
try the remedy your neighbors use.
Fred Chase, 424 Fourth St., Don-
ora, Pa. says: "I had pains in my
back and I often felt tired. Mornings
I felt very lame and unable to move
without misery. When I stooped
over I could hardly straighten up
again on account of a kink catching
me in my side. The kidney secre-
tions passed too frequently and
some nights I had to get up three
or four times. A burning sensation
accompanied the passages and I no-
ticed sediment in the secretions.
Doan's Kidney Pills benefited me.
Now, whenever a cold settles on my
kidneys, a few doses of Doan's
Kidney Pills put me in good shape
again."

Price 50c at all dealers. Don't
simply ask for a kidney remedy—get
Doan's Kidney Pills—the same that
Mr. Chase uses. Foster-Milburn
Co., Props., Buffalo, N. Y. 45

"Get" German U-Boats, Task of Simms' Fleet



Since May 4 an American torpedo
boat destroyer flotilla has been in
European waters, co-operating with
the Allied fleets in combating the Ger-
man U-boats. It is the avowed ob-
ject of Rear Admiral William S.
Simms, who is in command of the fleet,
to give the submarines no rest "from
now on." The fight will be a con-
tinuous offensive night and day. In
the opinion of a naval officer in close
touch with the situation, "Our destroy-
ers are busy now, but they are going
to be busier. They are there to 'get'
the German U-boats and they will land
a lot of them. But the important thing
is that they are in the thick of the bat-



Sealed proposals will be received
by the Borough Council of Charleroi,
for grading, curbing and paving sec-
tions of Lookout avenue lying be-
tween South curb line of Fourth
street and Fifth street, between Fifth
and Sixth streets and between Sev-
enth and Eighth streets. Make separ-
ate bids on each section but contract
if awarded will be to the lowest and
best bidder on the three sections as a
whole. Plans and specifications can
be seen in the Borough Engineers of-
fice. Council reserves the right to
reject any or all bids. All bids to be
in the hands of Borough Clerk on or
before 8 o'clock p. m. June 5, 1917.
Charleroi, May 24, 1917.

Ira L. Nickeson,
Borough Clerk
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TRY A CLASSIFIED WANT AD

Notice.

All members of Charleroi Council
No. 1024 Fraternal Patriotic Ameri-
cans will assemble at lodge room on
Sunday, May 27 at 2 p. m. sharp to
attend Memorial Services with the
Veteran Guards.

By Order Committee.
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FOR SALE

207 McKean Ave. 6 rooms, bath \$3600
818 Fallowfield Ave. store and dwell-
ing \$2000
134 Fallowfield Ave. 5 rooms. \$2400
1228 Lincoln Ave. 2 houses 18-
rooms \$4500
1109 Lincoln Ave. 2. houses, 10
rooms \$2800
L. P. HEPLER
411 Fallowfield Ave., Charleroi, Pa.



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THE DIAMOND BRAND
Local Ask Your Druggist for
Doan's Kidney Pills. They are
the only pills that will cure
kidney trouble. They are
sold by druggists everywhere.

FOR SALE

6 room house, bath, pantry, furnace,
with cemented cellar. Washington
avenue. \$4,200
6 room house, bath, pantry, and fur-
nace. McKean avenue to quick buy-
er \$3,600
1 room house with bath. Meadow av-
enue \$1,750
5 room brick house. Lincoln av-
enue \$2,800
1 horse, wagon and harness

PEOPLE'S REALTY COMPANY
AGENTS
Cor. 6th and Fallowfield Avenue

BEST EDITORIAL COMMENT

A CALL TO THE WHOLE NATION

(Boston Globe)

The President's proclamation is
issued to the whole Nation. It is
addressed not only to the young
men who will be called to the
graves service they can perform
for their country, but to each and
every one of us as well. We all
have our duty, as we shall be a
whole Nation at arms.

Every man and woman in the
United States today should read
every word that the President has
written. He should allow the full
significance of every phrase to
sink deep into his inner conscious-
ness and there take root. No such
solemn exhortation has ever been
addressed to us before, and it is
our patriotic duty to answer in
spirit and in deeds the call of the
Nation.

Now is no time for selfish am-
bitions. Now is no time for per-
sonal wishes. All must be sub-
ordinated to the great task we
have undertaken. "We must give
ourselves with thoughtful devo-
tion to the common purpose of
us all."

Each of us must do the part for
which he is best suited, whether
it be in the shop, on the farm, or
at the front. The whole Nation
must be "at the front" in spirit
and in unity of purpose.

Every man can contribute in
some manner to the great under-

taking. The old can contribute
their savings, the young can give
their strength. It is the duty of
every man to support our Govern-
ment in this time of danger. Our
youths must be enabled to per-
form their arduous and danger-
ous tasks by the knowledge that
every man, woman and child in
the country is back of them, ready
and anxious to give them all that
can be given.

June 5 is not a day for our
youth alone to come forward. It
is a day when every one of us
must pledge ourselves to do all in
our power, great and small, to
help in the accomplishment of the
mighty undertaking before us. If
we all come forward in this man-
ner worthy of our heritage and
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Poison Bait.

Your bordeaux, nicotine, and arsenate of lead sprays will kill fungus and insects which feed upon the plant leaves, but you should go after cutworms and slugs with poison bait, says today's bulletin from the National Emergency Food Garden Commission, which is cooperating with this paper to encourage war-garden planting.

The best poison bait is that made with Paris green or powdered white arsenic. Paris green, however, now being prohibitive in price, white arsenic is the best worm poison to use this year. The formula for it is as follows:

Two pounds of wheat bran, two or three ounces of powdered white arsenic, two or three ounces of cheap syrup, one lemon or one orange chopped fine and water enough to make a thick mush.

The bran and poison should be first mixed together. Then dilute the syrup with a little water. Pour the syrup solution over the bran and arsenic, then add the lemon or orange, and finally just enough water to make a thick mush.

Slugs and cutworms do not appear during the day, but crop out at night and eat the young lettuce and cabbage plants. Slugs, which are a sort of slimy worm, are also fond of ripe other fruits. Both slugs and cutworms hide under sticks of wood and other small covering places during the day. Their feeding is done at night.

The poison bait in small quantities should be placed around beds which are attacked by these pests, and also placed in little quantities under sticks and other places where the worms may hide.

In addition to poison bait and poison sprays you may need to use dry powdered poison to combat various garden insects. Pulverized sulphur is dusted on plants full strength to kill mildew. Pyrethrum is an insect powder often dusted on plants. One ounce of pyrethrum dissolved in two gallons of water is a good spray for vegetables like cabbages and cauliflower because it is not poisonous to people.

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SUNDAY SERVICES

Methodist Episcopal

Corner of Sixth street and Lincoln avenue Sunday school 9:45. W. S. James, superintendent. Preaching service 10:45. Sermon subject "To Have is to Owe." Epworth league 6:30. Preaching service 7:30. Sermon subject, "The Fool of History." Everybody cordially invited to this the homelike church. Welcome. C. A. Hartung, minister

First Christian.

Fallowfield avenue near Sixth street Bible school at 9:45. Lord's supper and preaching at 10:50. Subject "Our Task at Home." Y. P. S. C. E. at 6:20. Subject, "Financing the Kingdom." Special patriotic service at 7:30. Subject "God's Minute Men." Special recitations and singing by the children. The Monessen Cadets, the Veterans and the Veteran Guard Drum corps will be present. Wednesday prayer meeting at 7:30. All strangers to our city and those without a church home are cordially invited to the services of our downtown church. Rev. E. N. Duty, pastor.

Washington Avenue Presbyterian Sabbath school at 9:45. Preaching at 11. Sermon, "In Memoriam." Jr. C. E. at 2:30. Leader, Miss Gladys Woodward. Sr. C. E. at 7. Topic, "Financing the Kingdom." Leader, Mrs. I. L. Nickerson. Preaching at 8. Sermon, "Christianity and Some of its By-Products." Strangers and those without a church home are cordially invited to worship with us. Rev. John R. Burson, pastor.

Frech Presbyterian

Sunday school at 9:30. Morning worship at 10:30. Evening worship at 7. This is the last Sunday of the present pastor. He will preach at both services. On Wednesday evening at 7:30 a reception will be tendered to the Rev. Henry Poirrier of Torrington Conn, who comes to take charge of the work. A cordial invitation is extended to anyone. J. E. Charles, Ph. D.

Baptist

Washington avenue, 327-329. Bible school 9:45. Worship at 11. Sermon by the pastor. Annual memorial services at 3. This is a union service. Evening worship at 7:30. Sermon by the pastor. A cordial welcome to all the services. W. G. Carl, minister.

Episcopal

St. Mary's church, Lookout avenue and Sixth street. Services for White-Sunday as follows: School 9:45, Holy communion 11. Evening prayer 7:30. Meeting of the Altar Guild Thursday 7:15 and Girls Friendly society Saturday 2:30. Rev. John Lyons rector.

First Presbyterian

Sunday school at 9:45. Morning worship at 11. Subject, "Meditation." Senior C. E. at 6:45. Topic, "Financing the Kingdom (Tenth Legion)." Evening worship at 7:30. Subject, "Prayer for Peace." Prayer service Wednesday evening at 7:30. You are cordially invited to worship with us. A. J. Whipkey pastor.

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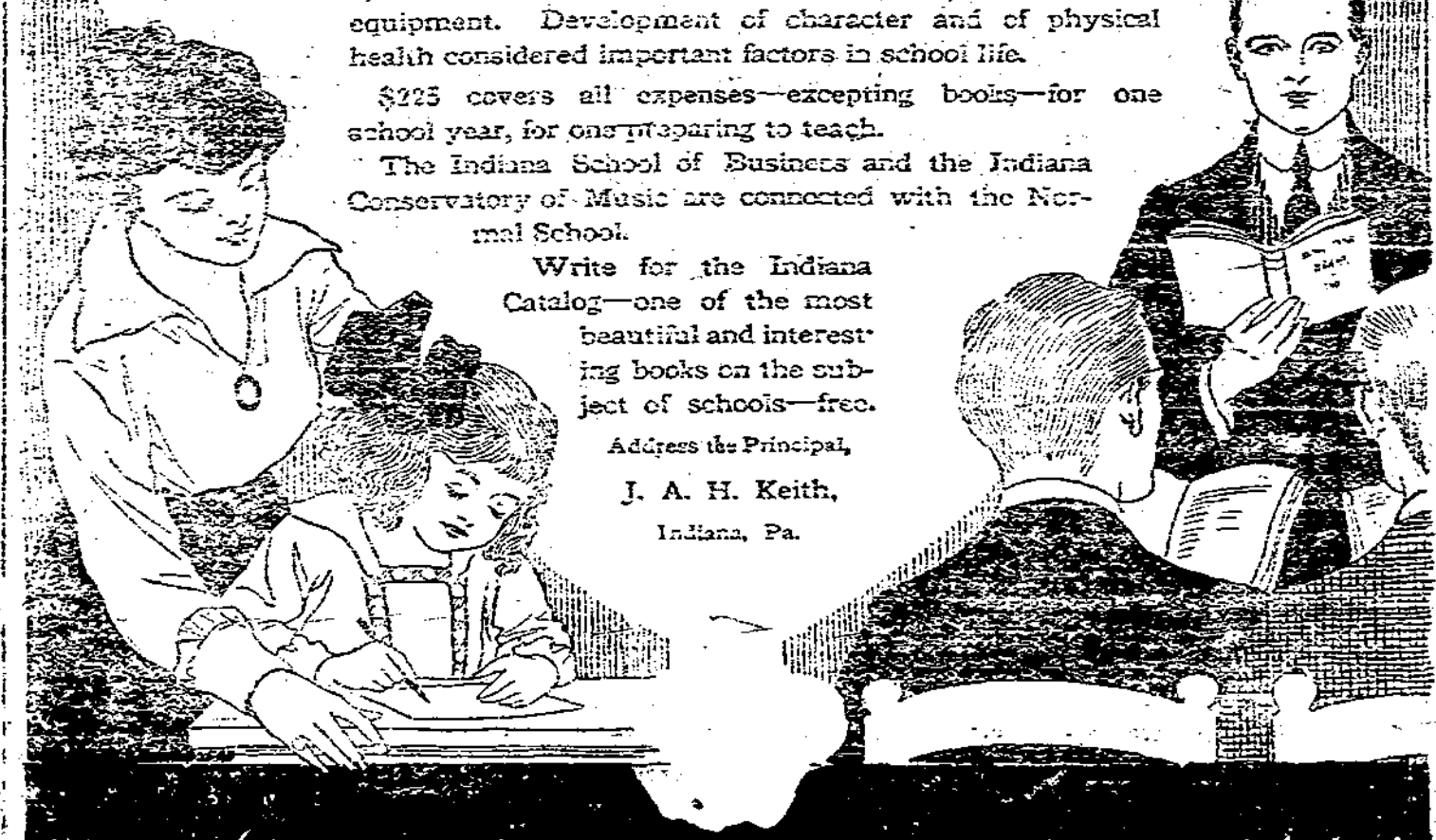
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Spring Teeth Cleaning Campaign for School Children in Many Communities

This Pretty New York Girl Has Mastered Use of Brush With Which She Demonstrates For Her Sisters

Statistics gathered by boards of health in cities of the United States indicate that one of the most common causes of disease in children is defective teeth. To this source hundreds of ailments are traced. It is held by cer-



tain medical authorities that bad teeth are a campaign for the "kids." The action make the little folk backward in companying picture shows a pretty school work. These facts are general. New York girl at a "tooth brush" drill recognized by educational experts in Central Park. She is a leader of So this spring—as before during the last year class and yields the large brush last several years—in many places solely for demonstrating purposes. Children are being taught the proper use of the tooth brush—and tooth wash. It is a sort of a spring clean-

RABBITS MAY BE KILLED WHEN THEY ARE REGARDED AS PESTS

Farmers and gardeners have the right to kill rabbits at any time these animals are found destroying property, but in the closed season they are not to be eaten, but regarded as vermin and buried according to John M. Phillips, game commissioner who gave out this statement following many complaints from farmers and gardeners.

In a new act, which is practically through both houses and will go to the Governor in a short time, some changes in the game laws are provided for the protection of the farmer. One applies to deer and elk. These animals when caught destroying fruit trees or crops may be killed but they must not be eaten or sold.

WESTMINSTER GUILD CHAPTER HAS MEETING

The Flacety chapter of the Westminster guild of the First Presbyterian church held its regular monthly meeting Friday evening at the home of Miss Margaret Yarnell on Seventh street. Mrs. Earl Amos, a patroness of the Guild led the devotional service. Miss Ellen Clark the newly installed president presided over the business meeting and Mrs. A. J. Whipple conducted a study in the new intermediate catechism of the Presbyterian church. After a social hour and refreshments served by the hostess the guild adjourned to meet the third Thursday in June with Miss Edith Jenkins of Washington avenue.

PERSONALS

Christopher Brown and family have moved from McKean avenue to their new home on Lookout avenue.
Mrs. Hilda George of Seventh street visited at Pittsburg Friday.

A marriage license was granted in Washington Friday to Miss Violet Lutes and Roy Carson, Esq., both of Charleroi.
In Washington Friday Miss Letitia Morris and Charles H. Clernhue of Charleroi were granted a marriage license.
Miss Berd Clelland of Wheeling, W.

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Will of Phillip Pardini.
By the will of Phillip Pardini, late of Charleroi, his estate is given his wife for life. Upon her death it goes to his children.

Executors Notice.
In Re Estate of Phillip Pardini, deceased, late of Charleroi, Pennsylvania.

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THEY LIVE ON VEGETABLES.

A Food Expert Says That Is Why the Koreans Are Indolent.
Dr. Eugen Ishizuka, a well known dietitian, who recently made a trip of observation in Korea, Manchuria and other parts of China, ascribes the docility and indolence of the Koreans to their predominantly vegetarian diet. To make them more alert and active, he urges, it is necessary to encourage the use of much more animal food among them.

The radish is the article of food most relished by Koreans who call it the wild cucumber and eat it raw. But the most remarkable thing about their love of vegetable food is the tremendous amount of cayenne pepper that they take. About one-fifth of the vegetables on sale at markets is red pepper. Instead of soy sauce, the Koreans use the juice of salted fish. For pickles they use a mixture of salted radish, Chinese rape, onions, romabole and cayenne pepper. This preparation has an excellent flavor and is eaten at every meal. An average family keeps enough of this preparation to last a year.

An alarming number of Koreans are suffering from parasites, chiefly due, in Dr. Ishizuka's opinion, to the crabs they eat in great quantity.—East and West News

Big Noses in Japan.

The nose plays a very important part in Japan, owing, probably, to the fact that a difference in noses constitutes about the only distinction among the Japanese. The nose is the only feature which attracts attention. As there are very few large noses to be found in Japan, a lady with a large nose is regarded as one specially gifted by nature. She is invariably a reigning beauty and the envy of her less favored sisters. In all Japanese pictures in which ladies are portrayed the artists are particularly careful to make the nose of liberal dimensions.—London Telegraph.

Palaces of Thebes.

The palaces of old Thebes, in Egypt, were probably the largest and most wonderful ever erected by the hand of man. One of them was the container of a central hall 50 feet in width, 227 feet in length and 17 feet in height. The roof of which was supported by 134 columns 11 feet in diameter and 75 feet in height. The cornices were of the finest marble, inlaid with ivory work and sheathed with beaten gold. From the point of view of artistic beauty, the Parthenon at Athens, Greece, of course, still holds the palm and is likely always to hold it.

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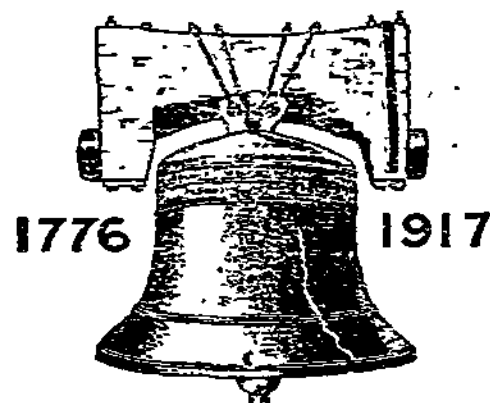
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